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DOCKABLE CORE COMPUTER

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed May 9, 2002 for the above-referenced patent application, it is respectfully requested that the application be amended as follows and that the following remarks be considered:

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Amended) An electronic device comprising:

a housing to enable the device to be docked into a notebook computer

having a memory to store an operating system;